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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Re: Application of Hyoseop SHIN  
INDEX STRUCTURE OF METADATA, METHOD FOR PROVIDING  
INDICES OF METADATA, AND METADATA SEARCHING METHOD AND  
APPARATUS USING THE INDICES OF METADATA  
**Assignee: SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.**  
Our Ref. Q76495

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising sixty-seven (67) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, fifteen (15) sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>58</u>	- 20	=	<u>38</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$684.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>4</u>	- 3	=	<u>1</u>	x	\$84.00	=	<u>\$84.00</u>
Base Fee								<u>\$750.00</u>

<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>	<b>\$1518.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>	<b><u>\$1558.00</u></b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1518.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Korea	2002-43097	July 23, 2002
Korea	2002-62923	October 15, 2002

The priority document are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
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